

# CSWC Operational Period Summary

## 0600 September 18 2015 to 1800 September 18 2015



Strike Team 1810A at the Butte Fire

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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **Cal OES Activation Status**

- The State Operations Center (SOC) is activated at Level 3.
- The Coastal REOC is activated at Level 3.
- The Inland REOC is activated at Level 3.
- The Southern REOC is activated at Level 1.

## **Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought**

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

## **Weather of Concern**

- No significant Weather Watches or Warnings are in effect

## **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

[http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa\\_bc\\_cal.php](http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php)

# WEATHER

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

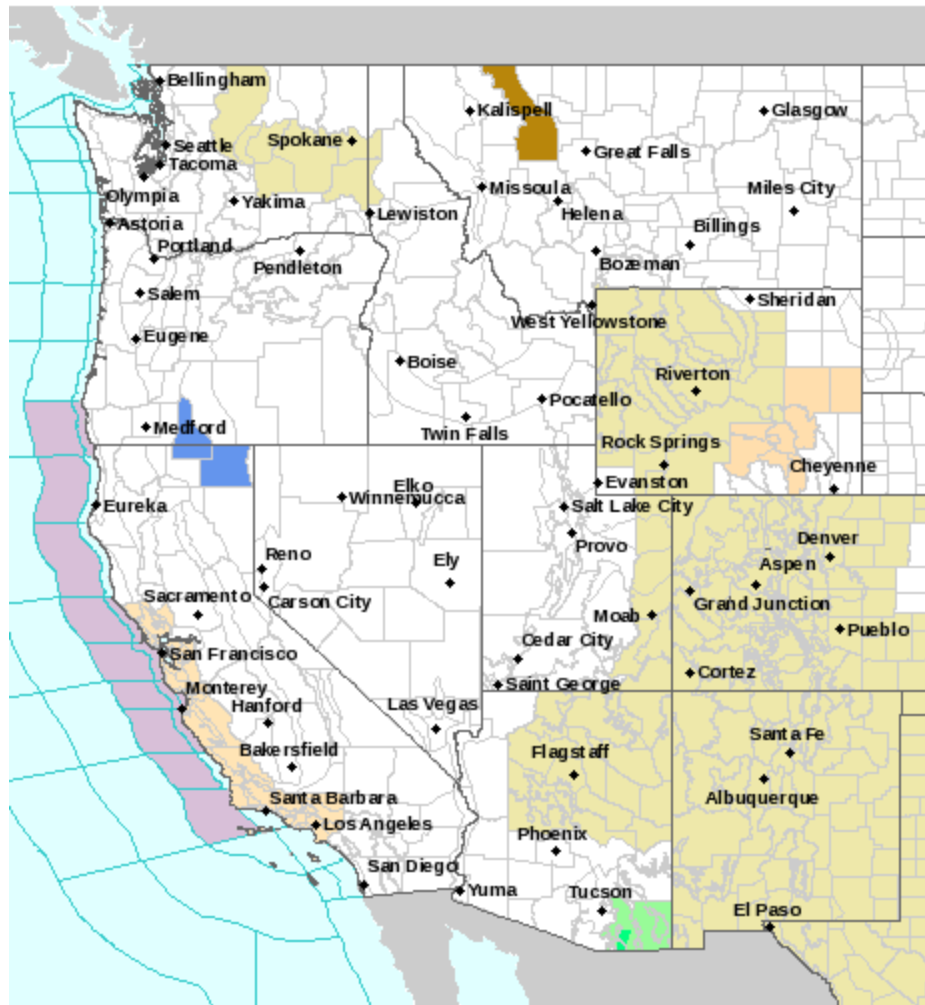
### **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

A broad weakening low pressure trough over the Northern Operational area will move off to the east late today. A gradual warming and drying trend is underway. High pressure will build in from the west beginning late today, and remain in place through Sunday. A light north to northeast or offshore surface wind pattern will enhance the warm and dry conditions from the lower Western Sierra slopes to the coast. The peak wind gusts will only reach 17-25 mph in wind-prone areas Saturday and Sunday mornings. Temperatures will warm to 5-7 degrees above normal and humidity will drop to 8-18% during afternoons in inland areas. Poor overnight relative humidity recovery is also expected in many areas. On Monday, the high pressure will move southward as a broad low pressure trough dips southward from the Pacific Northwest. This pattern will produce a southwest to west flow next week. This onshore flow pattern will produce a deeper marine layer and better overnight relative humidity recovery, with afternoon temperatures and humidity closer to seasonal normals. A tropical surge in the Southern California area will likely spread high clouds into the southern end of the Northern California area Monday and Tuesday, but precipitation and lightning are not expected.

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

High pressure building into California from the west and south will bring significant warming and drying to the region through Saturday. Temperatures will reach 100 degrees over the warmer valley locations and minimum humidity will drop to between 8% and 15% over much of the area by Saturday. Southeast flow aloft around an area of low pressure off the northern Baja Coast will bring scattered afternoon showers and thunderstorms to the mountains and deserts of Southern California east of the Cajon Pass Sunday afternoon. There will be little change in the very warm and dry conditions across Central California Sunday, but it will cool several degrees and minimum humidity will increase to 15% to 30% across Southern California as clouds and moisture start to move in from the south. The low pressure area off the northern Baja Coast will bring showers and thunderstorms to Southern California on Monday and then into most of Central California Monday night. The shower and thunderstorm activity will continue through Tuesday afternoon as the low approaches and moves inland directly over Southern California. At this time, it looks as though most of Southern California will receive between 1 and 2 inches of rainfall, while Central California receives less than a half inch. The Central Coast looks as if they will only see clouds from this system and no rainfall. Temperatures will cool significantly across Southern California Monday and across Central California Tuesday. A gradual warming trend will occur Wednesday through the end of next week as high pressure builds back into California from Mexico. Winds will be light across the region through the end of next week, except there will be strong and erratic winds in and near any thunderstorms.

# STATE WEATHER MAP



- Flood Advisory
- Small Craft Advisory For Hazardous Seas
- Small Craft Advisory
- Frost Advisory
- High Wind Watch
- Fire Weather Watch
- Special Weather Statement
- Hazardous Weather Outlook
- Short Term Forecast



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# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA**

### **Butte, Vegetation Fire, Amador and Calaveras County**

Location: Butte Mountain Rd & Amador Lane, Jackson

Jurisdiction: DPA, SRA

Start Time: 09/09/15 at 1430 hours

Per Cal OES, CALFIRE, and ICS-209 as of 09/18/15 at **1756 hours**:

- 70,760 Acres, **63% Contained**
- Structures Threatened: 6,000 Single Residences, 150 Multiple Residences, 150 Mixed Commercial / Residential, 100 Nonresidential Commercial Property
- Structures Damaged: 12 Single Residences, 14 Minor Structures
- Structures Destroyed: **503 Single Residences, 330 Other Minor Structures**
- Local Government Resources: **239 engines** and 6 watertenders assigned
- OES Resources: 10 engines, 2 watertenders, OES AC (5214) and (5213) assigned
- Injuries/confirmed fatalities: Two (2) confirmed civilian casualties have been reported by Cal OES Law Enforcement on 09/16/15. Cause of death to be determined.
- An FMAG has been received and approved by FEMA; FEMA-5111-FM-CA.

### **Proclamations**

- Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. has issued an Emergency Proclamation for Amador and Calaveras Counties due to the effects of the Butte Fire.
- Calaveras County proclaimed a local emergency and requested CDAA and access to Federal resources and any other Federal disaster relief programs.
- City of Angels Camp proclaimed a local emergency and requested CDAA and access to Federal resources and any other Federal disaster relief programs.

### **Activations**

- The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) is activated to Level 3.
- The Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Operations Center (IREOC) and Coastal Region Emergency Operations Center (CREOC) are activated at Level 3 and operating as one combined REOC from the inland location to support both Valley Fire (Lake County) and Butte Fire (Amador-Calaveras, 24 hour operation.
- Amador County EOC deactivated 1400 hours 09/15/15
- Calaveras County EOC is activated to Level 2 in support of the Butte Fire.
- An incident has been created in CalEOC: 2015-09-10 Butte Fire, Amador and Calaveras Counties

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### **Butte, Vegetation Fire, Amador and Calaveras County**

#### **Deployments**

- (1) Cal OES Fire Assistant Chief (AC - 5214)
- (5) Cal OES Public Safety Communications (PSC) Technicians
- (1) Cal OES Law Enforcement AC at the Calaveras ICP
- Cal OES Inland Regional Administrator deployed to the Amador and Calaveras EOCs.
- (1) Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinators (ESC) has demobilized from the Amador County EOC at 1400 hours on 9/15/15
- (1) Cal OES Inland Region ESC's on scene at Calaveras County EOC
- (1) Public Assistance (PA) Disaster Assistance Program Specialist (DAPS) deployed to Calaveras County EOC
- (1) Cal OES Individual Assistance (IA) ESC has deployed to Calaveras County EOC
- The Tuolumne Band of Me-wuk Indians has provided a GIS representative to the Calaveras EOC.
- The Tuolumne County Sheriff and the Tuolumne County administrative staff have been in contact with their counter-parts in Calaveras County and have made offers for assistance as needed.
- Two (2) FEMA LNO have been deployed to the SOC.

#### **Cooperating Agencies**

- Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E) Calaveras Public Utilities District, CAL-TRANS, State Parks

**Butte, Vegetation Fire, Amador and Calaveras County**

**Evacuations** Per ICS 209 09/18/15 at 1800 hours, approximately 1,700 persons (-400) evacuated.

**Mandatory Evacuations, Amador County**

- As of 1130 hours on 09/15/15, Per Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch, all mandatory evacuations orders in Amador County are lifted.

**Evacuation Advisory, Amador County & Calaveras County**

- Canyon View, Fig Tree Lane, and Pondersosa Way; Tabeau Road south of Arrowhead to Amador Road, Ranch Drive and Aqueduct Grove Road. Hwy 88 from Ranch Road East to Tiger Creek Road (Red Corral and Buckhorn Areas).
- The advisory evacuations for all areas outside of the burn area are lifted, to include Big Trees and Indian Grinding Rock State Parks.

**Mandatory Evacuations, Calaveras County:**

- West Murray Creek/Murraydale Lane (entire street). Fricot City Road North of Sheep Ranch Road. Fricot City Road is closed 1 mile East of the intersection of Calaveritas Road and Fricot City Road. Fricot City Road is also closed in Sheep Ranch. The areas north along Sheep Ranch Road at Avery Sheep Ranch to the intersection of Morris Rd/Valley View Road. The entire area of Railroad Flat.
- Hwy 26 in Mokelumne Hill at Italian Vista to West Point all areas to include Glencoe, Westpoint and Wilseyville. Bald Mountain Road, Winton Road Blue Mountain Road, Mitchell Mill Road, Skunk Hollow Road.

**Repopulation Information**

Repopulation is occurring in evacuated areas in Calaveras County. Residents are given a pamphlet package containing safety check lists and information when returning to their homes.

- At 1000 hours on 09/18/15, the following roads/areas will be open:
- Whiskey Slide Rd open from Jesus Maria Rd to Mountain Ranch Rd.
- All of Worden Rd. 44 Ranch Rd, Wendell Rd, Story Rd, Greenhills Court, Francine Rd, Francine Court
- Areas of Mountain Ranch Washington St, Garabaldi St, Upper Michel Rd, Lower Michel Rd, Cave City Rd to Steeds Way, Mountain Vista Dr, Mountain Meadows Dr, Ponderosa Way off of Michel Rd, Alamo Rd, Gaston Hill Rd, Starlight Lane, Carson Hill, Cotton Flat Rd, Hidden Valley Rd, Old Gulch Rd, Freccer Rd, Vista Amorosa Rd, Old Miners Way, Bigfoot Rd, High Country Rd, Shalom Way, Blue Eagle Way. Jesus Maria Rd to Red Cloud Court, Springlake Rd, Smith Rd.
- Old Emmigrant Trail West on the north and south side to Rustlers Pass, Calaveras Creek Circle, Olts Rd, Eagle View Dr, Royal Ridge Dr, Sheep Ranch Rd to Scotts Junction, Lakeside Dr, Lava Cap Court, White Rock Rd, Lakeview Dr, McKinneys Diggins Rd, Manzanita Ridge Rd.
- Jesus Maria Rd is closed at Whiskey Slide.
- East Murray Creek Rd is closed at Whiskey Slide.
- Fricot City Rd is closed in Sheep Ranch.
- Mountain Ranch Rd is closed at Avenue A.



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#### **Shelters / Evacuation Centers**

CDSS is working closely with the American Red Cross to monitor for increased sheltering demands.

#### Calaveras County:

- Good Samaritan Church, 4684 Baldwin St Valley Springs, CA 95252 - Midnight Shelter Count: 5
- Jenny Lind Veterans Hall, 189 Pine St Valley Springs CA. Midnight Shelter Count: 14
- Copperopolis Elementary School, 217 School Street, Copperopolis, CA 95228, non-ARC Shelter, Shelter Count: 4
- Copperopolis Town Square, 100 Town Square Road, Copperopolis, CA 95228, non-ARC Shelter, Shelter Count: 30

#### Amador County:

- Jackson Rancheria Casino and Resort, 12222 New York Ranch Road, Jackson, CA. This is a Red Cross Shelter. Midnight Shelter Count: 105. [Jackson Rancheria Shelter remains open; however evacuees are from Calaveras County. The Calaveras Red Cross is staffing this facility now.](#)

#### Animal Shelters:

- Calaveras County Animal Services has received over 100 calls for service/welfare checks on animals left at home. Staff are going to homes to check on the animals without fire/law escort as of 09/17/15.
- Calaveras County Animal shelter for small animals/pets only, 901 Jeff Tuttle Road, San Andreas, CA
- Animal shelter: Amador Fairgrounds for small and large animals, 18621 Sherwood St. Plymouth, CA, 95669 (200 animals)
- Laughton Ranch, 90 Clinton Road, Jackson 95642: Accept all sized animals and accepting donations (300 animals)

#### **Road Closures**

#### Calaveras County:

Hawver Rd to the burn area, Jesus Maria Rd at SR-26, Mountain Ranch at Willow Creek, Old Gulch at Rocky Rd, Ponderosa Rd at Fricot City, Railroad Flat at Jesus Maria, Sheep Ranch at Fricot City , SR-26 at Ponderosa Rd, Swiss Ranch at Railroad Flat  
West Murray Creek at Murray Dale, Traffic Control ONLY - SR-88 at Ridge Road

#### Amador County:

As of 0800 hours, all road closures in Amador County are open.



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#### **Access and Functional Needs/ Health and Medical**

- 9/17/15 California Board of Pharmacy has issued a waiver to allow pharmacists, including hospital pharmacies, in Lake, Napa, Amador, Calaveras, and adjacent counties to furnish needed and previously prescribed medications to wildfire evacuees, even if prescriptions are not on file with the pharmacy.

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### Butte, Vegetation Fire, Amador and Calaveras County

#### **Law Enforcement Mutual Aid**

Sacramento County Sheriff = 10

Stanislaus County Sheriff = 6

Folsom Police Department = 8 Officers and 1 Dispatcher

California Highway Patrol = 35

California State Parks = 23

San Joaquin County Sheriff = 2 Dispatchers

Yolo County Sheriff = 4

Placer County Sheriff = 4

Tuolumne County Sheriff = 16 Officers and 1 Dispatcher

#### **Schools**

- No public K-12 schools are closed currently in Amador County
- On 09/21/15, Calaveras High School, Gold Strike High School, Toyon Middle School, San Andreas Elementary, Valley Spring Elementary, Jenny Lind Elementary and Mokelumne Hill Elementary will all be operational. Rail Road Flat Elementary and West Point Elementary are scheduled to open on 09/22/15.

#### **Threat to Waterways, Water Sources, Natural Habitat/Species, State Parks and Historical or Tribal Lands/Assets**

- State Parks- Indian Grinding Rock and Calaveras Big Trees parks have been evacuated.

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#### **Infrastructure**

- Per CUEA 09/17/15: Fire is interrupting utilities for 2,030 customers in Calaveras and Amador counties.
- PG&E crews are in the area assessing the damage of facilities to determine how best to prioritize repairs with safety as the top priority. Due to the extreme nature of the fire, PG&E has been able to safely assess only 73 percent of the suspected damage zone.
- 09/17/15, 1120 hours, Calaveras County Water District is in the process of issuing a Boil Water Notice (BWN) for their Sheep Ranch Water System. Sheep Ranch water system serves about 100 people through 50 service connections. BWN is being issued as a precautionary measure because the water system lost pressure due to the water being used for firefighting in the area. There is NO damage to the water system infrastructure. They are currently running the treatment plant to fill the storage tank, but they are not releasing any water to the distribution system at this time. They will start delivering water to the distribution system at about 1700-1800 hours 09/17/15.

#### **Resource/Support Requests**

- California Department of Education (CDE) has released information indicating how districts can claim attendance funding for days that schools are forced to close or days when schools are open but attendance is reduced. Information is also available to all statewide participants in the Child Nutrition Program (CNP) in which they may be entitled to apply for disaster relief for their meal programs. CDE will send out information explaining the process for mitigating the loss of funding from decreased attendance in the California State Preschool Program.
- [CA National Guard deployed four \(4\) hand crews from Camp Roberts for the Butte fire, expect arrival at Butte fire 09/19/15.](#)
- Cal OES IA submitted a request to mission task one employee from EMSA to provide IA support in Calaveras County EOC located at 1045 Jeff Tuttle Drive, San Andreas 2nd floor. Staff is on site.
- An IA joint Preliminary Damage Assessment (PDA) will begin on Thursday, September 17, 2015, in Calaveras County. The team will meet at 2755 Mission Rancheria Road, to assess damages to homes, businesses, and nonprofit organizations. The IA PDA team will include Cal OES IA, County OES, FEMA, and U.S. Small Business Administration.

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#### **Recovery/Debris Management**

##### Cal OES Recovery Personnel Deployment

Individual Assistance - 1

Public Assistance – 2

- One Public Assistance (PA) staff has been deployed to Calaveras County on 9/13/15 to monitor the fires for PA impacts and assist local government with the recovery process. California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA) funding has been approved for this fire.
- One PA staff member was deployed on 9/16/15 to assist Individual Assistance (IA) conduct a Preliminary Damage Assessment (PDA).
- Cal OES IA submitted a request to mission task one employee from EMSA to provide IA support in Calaveras County EOC. Staff is on site.
- An IA joint Preliminary Damage Assessment (PDA) is continuing in Calaveras County. The IA PDA team includes representatives from Cal OES IA, County OES, FEMA, and the U.S. Small Business Administration.
- The Calaveras Local Assistance Center (CLAC) will open on Friday, 9/18/15 from noon to 7 pm, through Monday 9/21/15 from 7 am to 7 pm. The CLAC will be located at the Calaveras County Government Center at 891 Mountain Ranch Road in San Andreas. Hours of operation may be extended as necessary. More information is available from Calaveras County Public Health Services at (209) 743-6276
- Per Cal OES/TAP 09/16/15: The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) and Cal OES have been tasked with supporting Lake, Trinity and Calaveras Counties in the management of debris removal operations. CalRecycle's Incident Management Team (IMT) will be assisting each County to clear the debris, provide certification of cleanup, and track costs for each County on a site-specific basis. As part of the work, CalRecycle is preparing a Debris Removal Operations Plan (Operations Plan) for each of the three affected Counties.
- California Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) Emergency Response (ER) will be assessing and removing asbestos and household hazardous waste from homes destroyed by fire in Calaveras County. ER is coordinating with Calaveras County Public Works and Environmental Health Departments to begin assessment and removal activities there once the access agreements are obtained from affected property owners. Due to the large number of homes destroyed in the Valley Fire (Lake County), ER proposed to USEPA that they handle assessment and removal activities and ER will cover the transportation and disposal of household hazardous waste and asbestos.

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### Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County

Location: Bottle Rock Road x Glenbrook Road, Northwest of Middletown

Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA

Start Time: 09/12/15 at 1325

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and ICS-209 as of 09/18/15 at 1751 hours:

- 73,700 Acres, 45% Contained
- Structures Threatened: 7,253 Single Residences, 125 Nonresidential Commercial Property
- Structures Destroyed: 585 Single Residences, 3 Multiple Residences, 2 mixed commercial/residential, 10 Nonresidential Commercial Property, 3 Other minor structures
- Three (3) civilian deaths have been confirmed by Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch via Lake County Sheriff's Department. Cause of death to be determined.
- Local Government Resources: 164 engines and 17 watertenders assigned
- OES Resources: 67 engines, 4 watertenders, 1 OES Incident Support Unit, OES AC (5212 and 5222) assigned
- An FMAG request has been received by Cal OES and has been forwarded to FEMA Region 9. FEMA Region 9 approved the FMAG on 09/12/15 at 2229 hours. FEMA Declaration Number is FM-5112.

### **Proclamations**

- Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. has issued an Emergency Proclamation for Lake and Napa Counties due to the effects of the Valley Fire.
- Proclamation of Local emergency received from Lake County due to the Valley Vegetation Fire with no specific requests.
- Proclamation of Local emergency received from Sonoma County due to the Valley Vegetation Fire with requests for CDAA and all available forms of Federal Disaster Assistance and a Presidential Declaration.
- Public Health Local Emergency was made to facilitate request for debris removal assistance. (09/15/15)

### **Activations**

- The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) is activated to Level 3.
- The Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Operations Center (IREOC) and Coastal Region Emergency Operations Center (CREOC) are activated at Level 3 and operating as one combined REOC from the inland location to support both Valley Fire (Lake County) and Butte Fire (Amador-Calaveras, 24 hour operation).
- Lake County EOC is activated at level 2 with 24 hour operations. The EOC is located at the Konkoti Vista Casino at 2755 Mission Rancheria Road, Lakeport CA as of 0800 hours on 09/13/15.
- Napa County is activated at Level 2 from 0700-1900 hours, duty officer status from 1900 – 0700
- Sonoma County EOC is activated at Level 2.



**Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County****Deployments**

- At the request of the Cal OES Director, Individual Assistance (IA) reached out to state agencies to deploy to the Napa County Fairgrounds and the Grace Church Kelseyville to provide services. (09/18/15)
- Two (2) CDPH Vital Records Analysts were deployed to Kelseyville to help expedite applications for vital records. (09/18/15)
- Per DDW (09/18/15 0718), water systems continue to assess and repair damages but personnel are overwhelmed. California Water/Wastewater Agency Response Network (CalWARN) assistance is onsite.
- (2) Cal OES Fire Assistant Chiefs (AC 5213 and 5222)
- (2) Cal OES Law Enforcement Assistant Chiefs deployed to Valley Fire ICP.
- Coastal Region Regional Administrator (RA) deployed to Lake County EOC/ICP.
- Coastal Region Deputy RA deployed to shelter in Calistoga.
- (1) Coastal Region Senior Emergency Services Coordinator (S.ESC) deployed to Lake County EOC and (1) S.ESC deployed to Napa County EOC.
- (1) Coastal Region Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) deployed Napa County EOC.
- (1) Coastal Region S.ESC deployed Sonoma County EOC.
- (1) Inland Region ESC is deploying to the Lake County EOC on 9/16/15
- (1) Southern Region ESC deployed to Napa County Fairground in Calistoga.
- (1) Southern Region ESC deployed to Lake County EOC on 09/18/15.
- (3) Southern Region ESCs deploying to Lake County EOC on 09/19/15.
- (1) Recovery Individual Assistance (IA) ESC deployed to Lake County EOC to assist with LAC planning.
- (3) Cal OES Public Safety Communications (PSC) Technicians
- (2) Cal OES Auxiliary Communications Staff Deployed to set up Oasis



**Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County****Deployments**

- (1) Cal OES Individual Assistance (IA) joint Preliminary Damage Assessment (PDA) will be deployed on 09/16/15 at the 2755 Mission Rancheria Road in Lake County to assess damages to homes, businesses, and nonprofit organizations.
- Per CNG (09/17/15), no aircraft has been assigned at this time. Four (4) handcrews consisting of 80 people will deploy to the Valley Fire on 09/19/15. Satellite equipment for internet communication for the ICP has been delivered and is operational. Lakeport Armory is considering modification to increase capacity to house additional emergency response personnel.
- The State Water Board's Division of Drinking Water deployed one (1) District Engineer to the Lake County EOC on 09/16/15 to assist with water sector needs and facilitate the California Water/Wastewater Agency Response Network (CalWARN) conference call to determine needs and requests.
- Three (3) Cal OES Public Assistance (PA) staff were deployed on 09/16/15 to assist Individual Assistance (IA) staff to conduct a Preliminary Damage Assessment (PDA). (Updated as of: 09/16/15 at 1419)
- The California Department of Social Services (CDSS) deployed six (6) Volunteer Emergency Services Team (VEST) members on the request of Red Cross to assist with shelter operations for a two-week deployment.
- CDSS deployed State Functional Assessment Service Team (FAST) members to the Napa County Fairgrounds shelter on the request of Napa County through 09/19/15. Deployments beyond 09/19/15 will be re-evaluated as needed.
  - These FAST will perform functional needs assessments of individuals in shelters to suggest accommodations or generate resource request to allow for shelter residents with access and functional needs or disabilities to remain in the general population shelter while maintaining their health, safety and independence.

**Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County**

**Evacuations** – Per ICS-209 as of 09/18/15 at 1800 hours, 14,913 persons affected by the evacuations.

Repopulation has begun in Berryessa Estates. To support repopulation, the following road closures have been revised: Canyon at Aetna Springs Road has been opened and is being moved north to Butts Canyon Road and Snell Valley Road.

**Mandatory:**

Lake County:

- Butts Canyon Road to Napa County Line
- Cobb
- Siegler Canyon
- Loch Lomond
- Middletown
- Hidden Valley Lake
- All residences on Bottle Rock Road, From Harrington Flat Road
- All residences on State Route 175, Cobb
- All residences on State Route 29 at State Route 53 South to State Route 29 at Tubbs Lane
- Point Lakeview to Soda Bay (Highway 281)

Napa County:

- Berryessa Estates (As of 09/17/15 at 1600, mandatory evacuation lifted.)
- Aetna Springs Road west of Butts Canyon Road

**Advisory Evacuation:**

Lake County:

- North of Intersection of Soda Bay Road and Riviera West Drive

Sonoma County:

- Pine Flat Road (addresses 5000 and above)
- Geyser Road out of Healdsburg (addresses 6000 and above)
- Geysers Road out of Geyserville (addresses 9400 and above)

Napa County:

- Pope Valley north of Ink Grade Road
- Communities of North Angwin, Summit Lake Road and Livermore Drive



**Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County**

**Repopulation:**

- Repopulation for Berryessa Estates began. (09/17/15 1600)
- Per CDSS (09/18/15):
  - Surveying local, state, and federal partners for capabilities to provide support/relief to individuals as reentry into Lake County begins.
  - Working to remove emergency management personnel from hotels in Lake County to create interim housing for residents.

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#### **Road Closures**

Lake County – Hard Road Closures:

- Bottle Rock Road at Harrington Flat
- State Route 175 at Dry Creek (Middletown)
- State Route 29 at State Route 281 (Kits Corner)
- State Route 29 at State Route 53
- State Route 29 at Red Hills Road
- State Route 29 at Diener Drive
- State Route 29 at Siegler Canyon

Napa/Sonoma– Hard Road Closures:

- State Route 29 at Old Lawley Toll Road
- State Route 29 at Tubbs
- Aetna Springs at Butts Flat

#### **Education**

- Per the California Department of Education (CDE):
  - In Middletown Unified, three (3) school campuses not impacted by fires. Middletown High School and Cobb Elementary School operations most impacted. More information: [http://www.lakecoe.org/news/details/middletown\\_schools\\_update](http://www.lakecoe.org/news/details/middletown_schools_update) (09/18/15 1523)
  - All Kelseyville schools will reopen on 09/21/15.
  - Pope Valley Elementary School in Napa County will be reopening 09/18/15. Attendance will be voluntary.
  - 30 schools in Lake County are closed through 09/18/15. There is no knowledge of any permanent damage to any of the schools.
  - The State Superintendent of Public Instruction announced that the Department of Education is coordinating with impacted districts to find facilities for students displaced from their schools by the wildfires, including portable classrooms. A Department of Education representative will be deployed to the SOC on 09/16/15.



**Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County****Shelters**

On 09/15/15, the Department of Social Services (CDSS) activated the Mass Care and Sheltering Task Force (EF-06) to identify long term planning, resources, address unmet needs and solutions for displaced persons and evacuees.

**Lake County:**

- Kelseyville High School, 5480 Main Street, Kelseyville, CA 95451. This shelter will close on 09/18/15. Evacuees will be moved to another shelter due to the reopening of the high school. School will resume 09/21/15. Grace Church Kelseyville will be replacing this shelter on 09/18/15 at 1500 hours. Midnight Shelter Count: 33.
- [Grace Church Kelseyville, 6716 Live Oak Drive, Kelseyville, CA 95451, \(Update 09/18/15: Grace Church Kelseyville will open 09/18/15 at 1500 hours.\)](#) Midnight Shelter Count: [Unknown](#)
- Clearlake Senior Center, 3245 Bowers Road, Clearlake, CA 95422. Staffed by Social Services Department and equipped with cots from County Public Health and Tribal Health - Midnight Shelter Count: 110
- The Moose Lodge, 15900 E Highway 20, Clearlake Oaks, is receiving evacuees as a privately run evacuation center. Midnight Shelter Count: 350
- Big Valley Rancheria Gymnasium, 1002 Osprey Court, Lakeport. [Update 09/18/15: Shelter closed.](#)
- Lakeport Auto Movies, 52 Soda Bay Road Lakeport - spontaneous parking for RV. [Shelter Count: Unknown](#)
- Calvary Chapel of Clearlake, 14330 Memory Ln, Clearlake. [Update 09/18/15: Shelter closed.](#)
- New Hope Fellowship Church, 305 Peckham Ct, Lakeport - Midnight Shelter Count: 0. [Update 09/18/15: Shelter closed.](#)
- Seventh Day Adventist Church of Lakeport, 1111 Park Way, Lakeport - spontaneous parking for RV. Midnight Shelter Count: 21
- Lake County Animal Care and Control, 4949 Helbush Road, Lakeport
- Cole Creek Equestrian Center, 4965 Steelhead Drive, Kelseyville - Unofficial/spontaneous Housing animals and RVs
- American Legion, 14770 Austin Rd, CA 95422 - Midnight Shelter Count: 0. [Update 09/18/15: Shelter closed.](#)
- K-Mart, 2019 S. Main Street, Lakeport, CA 95453. Midnight Shelter Count: 0
- Walmart, 15960 Dam Road, Clearlake, CA 95422. Midnight Shelter Count: 100
- Healthy Habits, 9440 Main Street, Upper Lake, CA 95485, ([Update 09/18/15: Shelter closed.](#)). Midnight Shelter Count: 0
- [Twin Pine Casino & Hotel, Address: 22223 Hwy 29, Middletown, CA 95461, \(Update 09/18/15: Shelter will open 09/18/15 1200 or when Hwy 29 opens.\)](#). Midnight Shelter Count: 0



**Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County****Shelters****Napa County:**

- Napa Fair Grounds, 1435 N Oak St, Calistoga, CA 94515. The shelter is hosting evacuees and small domestic and large animals. Midnight Shelter Count: 825
- R. Ranch at the Lake, 1962 Capell Valley, Napa, CA 94558 - Midnight Shelter Count: 150
- Calistoga Library, 1108 Myrtle Street, Calistoga, CA 94515 - Midnight Shelter Count: 0

**Mendocino County:**

- Redwood Empire Fairgrounds 1055 N State Street, Ukiah - Midnight Shelter Count: 0

**Animals:**

- The UC Davis Medical Reserve Corps has been activated to care for animals in support of Lake County. UC Davis is equipped to accept injured large animals or burned animals if needed. There is no movement by California Veterinary Medical Reserve Corps (CVMRC) of large animals. Small companion animals will be cared for at the Middletown Veterinary Clinic, which is helping injured animals and is also an animal shelter. The Lake EOC is coordinating with field staff for removal of animal carcasses, and the Agricultural Team is in the process of identifying the locations of all remains.
- **California Veterinary Medical Association (CVMA) and the CVMRC are coordinating with the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) to address any unmet needs.**
  - **Update per CDFA (09/18/15 1823), CVMRC's mission for veterinarians and vet techs will continue through 09/21/15. CVMRC has deployed four (4) staff to Middletown to help treat small animals. CFDA and CVMRC are coordinating with Lake County Animal Control to support their animal care and evacuation needs. Donated animal care supplies and crates were delivered on 09/17/15. Clear Lake Animal Hospital is in operation and is accepting patients.**
- Napa Valley Equine, part of the California Animal Rescue Emergency System (CARES), is setting up a shelter network, with information on their Facebook page - including shelters close enough for those coming from Lake County. The information can be found here: <https://www.facebook.com/NapaValleyEquine>
- California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) Agency representative is activated in the SOC and is in close contact with the County Ag Commissioners, the California Veterinary Medical Reserve Corps, Local Animal Rescue Groups and USDA Animal Health to respond to any agriculture and animal issues, should those arise. There are no unmet needs currently.

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

### Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County

#### **Threat to Waterways, Water Sources, Natural Habitat/Species, State Parks and Historical or Tribal Lands/Assets**

- Overall, it appears that the water systems impacted by fires have lost above ground structures and electrical/controls, however, the majority of the systems that have steel tanks appear to be intact and operational. Some water systems have lost connections and will need to modify equipment and/or operations to meet reduced demands when the evacuations are lifted. (Updated 09/16/15 at 1100)
- Anderson Marsh Historic Ranch House was evacuated on 9/14/2015. Cultural Recourses will be collected and moved to a secure location.
- Per EF-8, a number of drinking water systems in Lake County were damaged or disrupted. The State Water Boards Division of Drinking Water is working with the county and has a representative in the Lake County EOC providing direct coordination. **Update 09/15/15** Per State Water Board, in general, power outages have caused the largest problem with drinking water systems and many are running on generators. CUEA is working with the Lake County EOC to restore power. A few systems have been damaged and some are still assessing the damage.

#### Per Cal OES Tribal:

- A Cal OES Tribal representative continues to coordinate with the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA), federal partners and affected tribes to gain situational awareness. BIA has field representatives on the ground to gather intel.
- Robinson Rancheria:
  - Established a donation center and accepting and distributing donations at the Robinson Rancheria Education Center. This site is also providing meals and supplies to evacuees beginning 09/15/15 until further notice.
- Middletown Rancheria:
  - Rancheria is not impacted by the fire, however, 15 tribal families have lost their homes displacing 45-50 tribal members.
  - Rancheria is still in evacuation status and is not able to allow evacuees to return home and assess damage. [Cal OES Tribal Advisor met with BIA, FEMA, and Tribal Chairman on 09/18/15 to discuss resources needed. Lake County will identify Middletown Rancheria in local Proclamation. The tribe is coordinating with Red Cross to establish Twin Pines Casino as a Red Cross shelter. \(09/18/15 1645\)](#)
- Big Valley:
  - Established a shelter with a current population of 2 people (midnight shelter count as of 09/16/15). Also, houses the county's EOC.

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA**

### **Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County**

#### **Access and Functional Needs/Health and Medical**

Local authorities supporting local shelters with nursing, medication acquisition and guidance for refill requests.

- The following Lake County Water Districts have been issued a Boil Water Notice (BWN): Hidden Valley Lake Community Services District, Callayomi County Water District, Cobb Area County Water District, Loch Lomond Mutual Water Company, Bonanza Springs Water, and Adams Springs Water District.

Per CDE:

- Middletown Unified will have teams of counselors and mental health professionals on campuses. (09/18/15)
- Per DDW:
- The following Lake County Water Districts have been issued a Boil Water Notice (BWN): Hidden Valley Lake Community Services District, Callayomi County Water District, Cobb Area County Water District, Loch Lomond Mutual Water Company, Bonanza Springs Water, Adams Springs Water District, and [Cobb Mountain Water Company](#). (09/18/15)

Per Cal OES Chief of the Office of Access and Functional Needs (OAFN):

- As of 09/17/15, Chief of OAFN continues to monitor status at various shelters for outstanding needs. In coordination with the Red Cross, upgrades/improvements were made to comply with ADA requirements.

**Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County****Access and Functional Needs/Health and Medical**

Per Red Cross:

- The American Red Cross will begin distributing food and relief supplies as evacuation orders are lifted. They continue to provide ongoing meals, shelter and comfort to residents. (09/18/15)
- The American Red Cross Integrated Care Team (ICT) has deployed to the Napa County Fairgrounds shelter in Calistoga. ICT is comprised of Disaster Mental Health, Disaster Health Services, Bulk Distribution, and water and client assessment.
- Red Cross continues to monitor and evaluate to ensure communication occurs early as support is needed.

Per EMSA:

- As of 09/18/15, EMSA Response Personnel continues to assist in the coordination of Medical Reserve Corps teams and staffing utilizing the Disaster Healthcare Volunteer System.
- As of 09/17/15, 11 mental health workers deployed to Napa County Fairgrounds for the next 48-96 hours.
- As of 09/17/15, the California Board of Pharmacy has issued a waiver to allow pharmacists, including hospital pharmacies, in Lake, Napa, Amador, Calaveras, and adjacent counties to furnish needed and previously prescribed medications to wildfire evacuees, even if prescriptions are not on file with the pharmacy. Further information may be found at: [http://www.pharmacy.ca.gov/about/wild\\_fire\\_exemption.shtml](http://www.pharmacy.ca.gov/about/wild_fire_exemption.shtml)
- As of 09/16/15, 50,000 N-95's masks were delivered by California Department of Public Health (CDPH) to Lake County.
- Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) continues to monitor the medical impact from the fires, and remains in constant communication with the Regional Disaster Medical Health Specialists (RDMHS), and Medical and Health Operational Area Coordinator (MHOAC), as well as the California Department of Public Health (CDPH). As of 09/14/2015, Ambulance Mutual-Aid has been provided to South Lake County from American Medical Response (AMR). Mutual-Aid ambulances are stationed at Whispering Pines and South Lake County Fire Station 62 (both providing support to rescuers).
- Local fire and emergency medical services resources are fully engaged. CAL FIRE requested and received approval for 2 private ambulances in support of operations through mutual aid.

Per Cal OES:

- Cal OES IA is coordinating with the California Department of Health Care Services to assess if the need for mental health services is beyond the capacity of the local level to respond. The department is reaching out to the county local mental health to determine if the disaster mental health needs of the communities are beyond their ability to respond. It is anticipated that mental health needs will rise as re-entry begins.

Air Quality/Monitoring:

- Per ARB (09/16/15 0720), one (1) E-BAM to monitor air and smoke particulates is in place, as requested by Lake County requested. [2015-CREOC-16214]



# SITUATION SUMMARY

## FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

### Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County

#### **Donations Management**

- On 09/19/15, the official Lake County donation drop-off site will be at Calistoga Beverage Company. Donations will be accepted from 0900-1600 hours.
- Lake County has established a Volunteer and Donations Unit in the EOC. The County is asking the public not to donate in-kind items and to donate cash instead to the accounts set up at the Mendo-Lake Credit Union or Redwood Credit Union: <http://www.lakecountyac.com/donate-now.html>. In addition, the California Volunteers website ([www.californiavolunteers.org](http://www.californiavolunteers.org)) lists those vetted organizations accepting cash donations to assist those impacted by the Valley Fire.
- The volunteer and donations unit is contacting several non-county donations sites to assess their situation and support needs. The Adventist Church has secured an old Sears building to expand their donations storage capability. This location may be designated as a county donations location. California Volunteers staff will be visiting this site on Wednesday or Thursday to assess.
- The County has approved using North Coast Opportunities (NCO) to manage volunteers. NCO has set up a pre-registration page on their website ([www.ncoinc.org](http://www.ncoinc.org)) for this event to capture volunteer information. NCO can also set up a volunteer reception center if needed. As of 9/15/15 at 1400 hrs. there were more than 50 volunteers registered. Four donations sites have asked for volunteer support. This request has been sent to NCO who will also cover the volunteers under their liability coverage.
- A mission request has been issued for a representative from Adventist Community Services to staff the EOC and assist with developing a donations management plan. A similar mission request for a Salvation Army representative is pending.
- The Redwood Empire Remodeler Association has asked for information on needs the county may have.
- The Farm Bureau of Lake County is interested in donating large farm equipment and assisting with repairing fences, erosion control, irrigation, etc.

**Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County****Infrastructure****Energy:**

- Ten (10) PG&E geothermal power plants ranging in capacity from 22MW-120MW are within one mile of the current burn area, as well as their associated substations and transmission lines.
- Per California Utilities Emergency Association (CUEA) (09/17/15 at 0952)
  - PG&E reported 6,661 customers affected and impacting Lake, Mendocino, Sonoma and Napa counties.
  - [Per the California Joint Incident Briefing \(JIB\) report \(09/18/15 1400\), crews are making good progress constructing control lines. Communities of Middletown, Noble Ranch Estates, Jerusalem Valley, The Geysers and Pope Valley remain threatened.](#)
  - Per the California Joint Incident Briefing (JIB) report (09/14/15 at 1400) Three (3) cooling towers at Calpine Geysers facilities have been damaged, however, no impacts reported to the grid. Incident Command Post (ICP) has been set up at the Lake County Fairgrounds. A Damage Inspection Team has started the survey of damaged and destroyed buildings. A threat exists for critical infrastructure of radio towers, state Intercom radio system and numerous law enforcement vaults and towers. **Update per CUEA 09/15/15 0842**, There are no impacts from the Geyser Geothermal Plant's damage overall energy reliability. PG&E has deployed 400+ employees in the area setting poles and strand. They may also call up additional crews from out of the area to help re-establish power
  - PG&E has opened their corporate EOC, along with local EOC's in Central Valley and Northern Region to support fire response.
  - PG&E presently does not have a number of assets impacted, but anticipates 70-80% of all assets in Middletown are damaged.

**Communications:**

- Per Public Safety Communications (PSC) (09/14/15 at 0851), Cobb Mountain which is a multi-agency radio facility, was burned over and is still operational. PSC is working with CAL FIRE to get access to the site to conduct a site assessment. **Update per PSC 09/17/15 1530**, Cobb Mountain office has been up and running on microwave since 09/16/15 afternoon. Techs have made successful test calls and 9-1-1 calls from the office. Both Middletown and Cobb Mountain offices remain on generator power and fuel is being monitored.
- Two (2) AT&T Satellite Cell on Light Truck (SATCOLT), and one (1) Verizon SATCOLT has deployed to Middletown to restore wireless service. **Update 09/16/15 per PSC:** One (1) AT&T SATCOLT has been deployed to the Napa Valley Fairgrounds in Calistoga.
- In addition, AT&T is working to get a microwave feed to the AT&T site in Cobb Mountain and also working to clear the roads for CAL FIRE and PG&E.
- Per PSC (09/14/15 at 0851), Seigler Mountain is currently in the path of the fire. CAL FIRE crews are onsite for protection.
- Five (5) Public Safety Communications (PSC) tower sites within one mile of the current burn area.



# SITUATION SUMMARY

## FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

### Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County

#### **Resource/Support Requests**

- Per ARB (09/14/15 at 1530), there is a mission task pending in Lake County for one EBAM to monitor air and smoke particulates. Anticipate on scene at 09/14/15 1900.
- Per CNG (09/17/15), no aircraft has been assigned at this time. Four (4) handcrews consisting of 80 people will deploy to the Valley Fire on 09/19/15. Satellite equipment for internet communication for the ICP has been delivered and is operational. Lakeport Armory is considering modification to increase capacity to house additional emergency response personnel.
- Cal OES IA Voluntary Agency Liaison (VAL) is coordinating with Northern CA Voluntary Organizations Active in Disasters (VOAD) regarding response activities by nonprofit agencies and to identify any gaps. A conference call will be held on Monday, September 14, 2015.
- NorCal VOAD & Cal OES agreed to deploy an in-kind donation management team to the Calistoga Fairgrounds shelter today, ETA unknown.
- State agencies were notified of the State of Emergency and potential LAC.
- IA reached out to the California Department of Health Care Services to assess if the need for mental health services is beyond the capacity of the local level to respond.
- On 09/14/15, FEMA delivered water to support 5,000 individuals for one day and 5,000 cots (500 are ADA compliant). The supplies will be positioned at Cal Trans Yard, 3161 Jefferson Street, Napa, CA 94558, and accessed when needed.
- Red Cross delivered 500 cots to Calistoga along with a box truck of water. Additional box trucks are being ordered with water and additional cots. Seven (7) port-o-potties have also been delivered. Additional shower and laundry resources will be available 09/14/15.
- Two (2) FEMA LNO's have been deployed to the SOC.
- A State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB), Division of Drinking Water (DDW) representative is on site at the Lake County EOC.

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

### Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County

#### **Recovery Activities:**

- A Lake County Local Assistance Center (LAC) will open on 09/19/15, at 21256 Washington Street in Middletown. The LAC will operate 0700-1900 until further notice. Selected state agencies have been asked to participate.
- An IA joint Preliminary Disaster Assessment (PDA) [is continuing](#) in Lake County to assess damages to homes, businesses, and nonprofit organizations. (09/18/15)
  - The IA PDA team will include representatives from Cal OES IA, FEMA, U.S. Small Business Administration, Housing and Community Development, and Red Cross.
- As of 09/17/15, CDE has released information on attendance funding for disasters, attendance waivers for displaced students, portable classrooms, the Child Nutrition Program during disasters, and community feeding sites. CDE will provide further information in the following weeks.
- Per DGS, 50,000 leather gloves [were delivered by 09/18/15](#) to Lake County Public Works Yard ([22,000+ were delivered on 09/17/15, 27,000+ were delivered on 09/18/15](#)). [16392]
- Per Cal EOC EF-10 (09/14/15), DTSC is coordinating with US EPA Region IX Emergency Response regarding support for hazardous waste activities following post-fire activities in impacted counties. Due to the large numbers of structures in Lake County, additional assistance will likely be requested.
- The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle), in coordination with Cal OES have been tasked with supporting Lake County in the management of debris removal operations.
  - [CalRecycle will meet with US EPA on 09/21/15 to conduct an assessment. Operations to commence on 09/23/15.](#)
  - [US EPA began coordinating with the Department of Toxic Substances Control \(DTSC\) on supporting the operations for both the Calaveras and Lake County debris removal operations. \(09/17/15 1800\)](#)

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

### Valley, Vegetation Fire, Lake and Napa County

#### **Resource Requests**

- As of 09/18/15, Lake County Sheriff is requesting National Guard Military Police to assist in escorting civilians to their homes. Repopulation to begin 09/19/15. [2015-LAW-16785]
- Mendocino County Sheriff: 2
- Solano County Sheriff: 2
- California Highway Patrol: 29
- Calif. State Parks: 5
- Calif. Department of Fish and Wildlife: 4
- Sonoma County Sheriff: 7
- Marin County Sheriff: 2
- Napa County Sheriff: 2
- Fort Bragg Police Department: 2
- Ukiah Police Dept.: 2

#### **Mutual Aid Provided (Not Fire or Law):**

- Red Cross
- PG&E
- American Medical Response (AMR)



# SITUATION SUMMARY

## FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

### River Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

Location: Near the communities of Dailey Ranch, Hoboken, and Denny

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 07/31/15 at 2200 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of [09/18/15 at 1725 hours](#):

- [77,077 Acres](#), 55% Contained

#### Missions

- 2015-SOC-15174 Four air monitors to Trinity OA
- 2015-SOC-15003 Two air monitors to Siskiyou OA

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **FIRES, NORTHERN OPERATIONS AREA**

### **Gasquet Complex, Vegetation Fire, Del Norte County**

Location: Gasquet, 19 miles northeast of Crescent City

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 8/03/15 at 1800 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of 09/18/15 at [1727 hours](#):

- 30,361 Acres, 47% Contained

### **Deployments**

- (1) Cal OES Public Safety Communications (PSC) Technician

### **Missions**

- 2015-SOC-15400 One air monitor for Yurok Tribe
- 2015-SOC-15542 One air monitor for Yurok tribe
- 2015-CREOC-14948 One air monitor to Del Norte OA

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA**

### **Rough, Vegetation Fire, Fresno County**

Location: 5 miles north of Hume Lake and 2.5 miles southwest of Spanish Mountain

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 07/31/15 at 1933 hours

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, and/or ICS-209 as of 09/18/15 at **1750 hours**:

- **141,491 Acres**, 68% Contained
- Structures Threatened: **255 Multiple Residences**
- Structures Destroyed: 1 Nonresidential Commercial Property, 3 Other Minor Structures
- Local Government Resources: 9 engines assigned
- OES Resources: 1 Incident Support Unit assigned, OES AC (5211) and (5215) assigned

### **Activations**

- Fresno County EOC is activated at Level 1.
- Combined REOC is activated at Level 2. (Inland and Coastal combined at 0600 09/13/15).

### **Evacuations**

Per ICS-209 as of 09/18/15 at 0600 hours, approximately 3,500 persons affected by evacuations.

- Mandatory Evacuations for Goins Ranch, Hart Meadows, Big Meadow, Kennedy Meadow, Kings Lodge, Crabtree, Sequoia Highlands, Davis Flats and Sampson Flat. Properties east of Highway 245.
- Area closure in effect for national forest system lands within the Hume Lake Ranger District.

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA**

### **Rough, Vegetation Fire, Fresno County**

#### **Deployments**

- (1) Cal OES Fire Assistant Chiefs (AC 5211)
- (1) Cal OES Public Safety Communications (PSC) Technician

#### **Shelters**

- Sanger Community Center, 730 Recreation Street, Sanger, CA 93657. [Closed](#).

#### **Road Closures**

- A closure remains on Highway 180 at Highway 245.
- On 9/18/15, at 0800 hours, the road closure at Highway 180 & 245 will be moved to the junction of Highway 180 and the Generals Highway.

#### **Critical Infrastructure**

- Per CUEA, the only utility impacts are to damaged and unoccupied structures. The counties involved are Fresno and Tulare.
- Small PG&E substation (estimated capacity 9-33kV) in Dunlap threatened.
- 220kV SCE transmission line seven miles to the southwest threatened.

# **SITUATION SUMMARY**

## **FIRES, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA**

### **Rough, Vegetation Fire, Fresno County**

#### **Missions / Resource Requests**

- Two (2) FEMA LNO has been deployed to the SOC.
- 2015-IREOC-15460 Two air monitors to Mariposa OA
- 2015-IREOC-15468 One air monitor to Madera OA
- 2015-Inland-15812 Three air monitors delivered to cities of Parlier, Sanger, Dunlap

#### **Law Enforcement Mutual Aid**

- None reported at this time

#### **Mutual Aid (Not FIRE or LAW):**

- Pacific Gas and Electric
- Sequoia King National Park
- Red Cross

# SITUATION SUMMARY

## NATIONAL GUARD RESOURCES

### California National Guard:

Per the Cal OES FDO as of 09/18/15 at 0625 hours:

### **Mission Task 2015-FIRE-15835**

- 12 Type-2 twenty person handcrews have been assigned to train for statewide fire responses

# **FIRE ACTIVITY**



## **Preparedness Levels**

### **National Preparedness Level 3**

#### **Northern California**

Preparedness Level 4, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

#### **Southern California**

Preparedness Level 3, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

## **California Fire Potential & Weather Maps**

### **Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

### **Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential**

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

### **California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings**

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

### **NWS California River Forecast Center:**

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every Monday at 1100 hours.



# CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

## Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

### **Local Emergency Proclamations:**

**A total of 60 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:**

- 27 Counties: Butte, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 12 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County) and City of Willits (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).

# CAL OES MISSIONS

## New Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-16732, 09/18/15, 0830 hours,** The International Emergency Response coordination Center (IERCC) is reporting a SPOT device sounding in the Gem Lake Area of Mono County. IERCC is advising the coordinates are 37 degrees 45 minutes 31 secs North by -119 degrees 9 minutes 33 secs West. Mono County Sheriff's Department (MCSD) is responding.  
**Mission Ongoing**
- **2015-LAW-16646, 09/17/15, 1630 hours,** The International Emergency Response coordination Center (IERCC) is reporting a Delorme device sounding in the North Lake Area of Fresno County. IERCC is advising the coordinates are 37 degrees 15 minutes 28 secs North by -118 degrees 45 minutes 10 secs West. Fresno County Sheriff's Department (FCSD) is responding. **Update: 09/17/15, 2000 hours,** FCSD advised that the R/O and missing hikers reunited and self rescued.  
**Mission Closed**

# CAL OES MISSIONS

## Ongoing Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-16327, 09/15/15, 1630 hours**, Lake County Sheriff's Department (LCSD) is requesting resources to assist in searching the Valley Fire area for possible missing victims of the fire. LCSD is requesting (2) HRD search dog teams. California Governor's Office of Emergency Services, Law Enforcement Branch is coordinating search dog response. **Mission Ongoing**
- **2015-LAW-15929, 09/13/15, 0800 hours**, This mission was opened in support of the Valley Fire in Lake County. Lake County Sheriff's Department (LCSD) is requesting a cache of portable radio's to assist with communications. T-Comm is responding with the resources requested. Law Enforcement Mutual Aid is being handled by in region resources at this time. **Update:** 09/17/15, 0900 hrs., Additional HRD search dog teams were requested and are being coordinated by the California Governor's Office of Emergency Service, Law Enforcement Branch coordinator at the ICP. Coroner's Mutual Aid System activated and the California Governor's Office of Emergency Service, Law Enforcement Branch Coroner's Mutual Aid Coordinator is responding to the ICP. **Mission Ongoing**
- **2015-LAW-15806, 9/10/2015, 0030 hours**, a LEMA (Law Enforcement Mutual Aid) request was received from Calaveras County Sheriff's Department to assist with the Butte Mountain Fire. A/Chief Dailey is working with Sacramento County Sheriff, Region IV RMAC to fill the request of 15 law enforcement officers for today's operational period. The LEMA request is for law enforcement officers to assist with evacuations of the town of Mokelumne Hill and areas on north side of Highway 26 from Montgomery to Highway 49 and areas East of Highway 49. **Update: 9/11/15** 30 sworn personnel from 5 agencies are assisting as LEMA on Friday, 9/11. Those agencies are: Folsom PD, El Dorado S.O., CHP, Sacramento PD, and Turlock PD. The following agencies were released on Thursday and have returned home: Sacramento County S.D., Citrus Height PD, Stanislaus S.O., Yolo S.O., Tuolumne S.O., and San Joaquin S.O. The Region IV RMAC continues to coordinate LEMA. No out of region mutual aid has been requested however both RMAC's from Regions II and V have been alerted. Region V is responding with resources The California Governors Office of Emergency Services is Coordinating 2 Cadaver Dog Search Teams to assist in locating any possible victims of the fire. **Mission Ongoing**

## Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2015-LAW-16307 09/15/15, 1500 hrs.**, Yosemite National Park Services (YNPS) is requesting resources to assist in locating a missing hiker who has been missing since Monday, 09/07/15. YNPS is requesting (9) Type-I ground searchers. Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department is responding with the requested resources. **Update 09/17/15, 0900 hours**, [Victim was located deceased at his campsite.](#) **Mission Closed**



**Mission:**

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

*We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.*